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Mark Sullivan
Président
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Dear Sir,

I am delighted to hear from our delegate that the CIA's bureau would like to nominate Eric Décellières and Benoit Havret, team FRA2 for the Montgolfière diploma after their tremendous 2nd place during last year's coupe Aéronautique Gordon Bennett.

They certainly were beaten at the end by a better team, but they flew an amazing race, had a very difficult sleepless night feeling the breath of the swiss team up their neck. Nevertheless, they flew as far as they could, running short of ballast but landing safely while they could.

They very sportingly accepted their defeat and paid tribute to the winners as they visited them after their landing.

In short, on behalf of our National Aeroclub, who has delegated all his powers regarding international activities to the French Federation, we totally support this nomination.

Best regards

Olivier Cuenot
Président